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RE: MUR 5411

Dear Mr. Lyon:

This is in reference to the complaint you filed with the Federal Election Commission on February 17, 2004 and a supplement to the complaint filed on April 22, 2004, concerning Oregon State Senator Jackie Winters; Jackie Winters for Congress 2004, Inc. and Warren J. Thompson as treasurer; Friends of Jackie Winters and Warren J. Thompson, as treasurer.

On December 9, 2004, the Commission found that on the basis of information provided in your complaint, responses to the complaint, and information available to the public that there was no reason to believe that Oregon State Senator Jackie Winters; Jackie Winters for Congress 2004, Inc.; Friends of Jackie Winters and Warren J. Thompson as treasurer for both committees, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441i(e)(1) or 2 U.S.C. § 441d and 11 C.F.R. § 110.11(c)(2)(v) regarding the e-mail. In addition, the Commission found reason to believe Oregon State Senator Jackie Winters; Jackie Winters for Congress 2004, Inc. and Warren J. Thompson as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. § 441d and 11 C.F.R. § 110.11(c)(2)(v) with respect to the letter at issue. However, after considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission determined to take no further action other than send a letter of admonishment against Oregon State Senator Jackie Winters; Jackie Winters for Congress 2004, Inc. and Warren J. Thompson, as treasurer. Accordingly, the Commission closed the file in this matter on December 9, 2004.

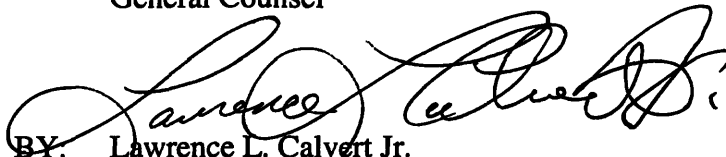
Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information.

The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. *See* 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(8).

If you have any questions, please contact Audra L. Wassom, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

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General Counsel's Report